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TO: BPA NETWORK SUD TREATMENT PROVIDERS

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SUBJECT: ONLINE GAIN CLINICAL INTERPRETATION TRAINING WORKSHOP

Prompted by many requests from Network Treatment Providers, State Partners, Clinical Supervisors, and BPA Regional Coordinators, the Department has contracted with Chestnut Health Systems to provide a GAIN Clinical Interpretation Training Workshop. The self-paced online workshop is designed to enhance the writing, clinical value and use of the GRRS for recipients relying on its information for making clinical or judicial decisions, and will address clinical use of the ICP report. The workshop can be accessed by qualified clinicians at no cost to the provider

The workshop is now available for qualified professionals, approved by the Department of Health Welfare and Drug/Alcohol Rehabilitation Specialists approved by the Idaho Department of Correction, who are certified to administer the GAIN.

To access the course, send an e-mail to gaininfo@chestnut.org requesting access to the "online GAIN Interpretation Training Workshop" in the subject line. Include name as it appears on clinician's GAIN Certificate and clinician's e-mail address. Once GAINinfo verifies clinician's GAIN certification, they will send instructions as to how to access the online course. Access includes an individual log-in and password to the GAIN Training site for each Clinical Interpretation Site Trainee. Course access will be activated for one (1) month. The time frame may be extended by e-mail request to GAINinfo.

The workshop is broken out into 9 lessons and a quiz. Upon successfully completing the quiz with a 90% or above, a certificate of completion will become available for the trainee to save and print.

Chestnut Health Systems shall notify the Department when each trainee passes the quiz at the end of the workshop indicating that the trainee has successfully completed the online GAIN Clinical Interpretation Workshop.

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